

**DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES- NORTH REGION
JOB OPPORTUNITY
LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE
NORTH STREET CLA - WILLIMANTIC**

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Open To: Public

Location: North Street CLA - Willimantic

Job Posting No: 00019949

Hours: Sunday, Monday & Tuesday: 1:00pm – 8:00pm
RDO's: Friday, Saturday, Wednesday & Thursday

Salary: \$44,250 - \$59,154

Closing Date: **December 9, 2013**

Eligibility Requirement: State employees currently holding the above title or those who have previously attained permanent status may apply for lateral transfer.

Examples of Duties: Duties consistent with LPN job specifications. This position provides nursing supports to seven (7) individuals living in the home. The individuals in the home are elderly with medical oversight needs, and two (2) individuals have significant behavioral issues that revolve around medical issues. Essential responsibilities include direct nursing care, medical and respiratory treatments, medication administration, assistance and training in all activities of daily living. This position may lead lower level employees as assigned, and is responsible for the health and safety of the individuals living in this home including implementation of the Residential Routine, Individual Plan activities and programs, DDS Policies and Procedures. Incumbents must be CPR, PMT and Med certified. Performs related duties as required.

General Experience: Knowledge of practical nursing specialties and bedside care; knowledge of various medications used in conjunction with the physically and mentally handicapped; knowledge of infection control practices; some knowledge of nutrition and diets; basic knowledge of medical and lab sciences; considerable interpersonal skills; ability to keep records; some ability to lead staff. License or temporary permit to practice nursing in Connecticut by the State Board of Examiners for Nursing.

Working Conditions: Incumbents in this class may be required to lift/restrain clients/patients; may have some exposure to communicable/infectious diseases and to some risk of injury from assaultive/abusive clients/patients; may be exposed to disagreeable conditions.

Note: The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules, if applicable.

Application Procedure for Current DDS Employees who are Lateral Transfer Candidates and Applicants for Promotion within the DSW Classification Series:

Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a fully completed DDS Application for Lateral Transfer/Promotion and copies of their last two performance appraisals.

Application Procedure for All Other Applicants:

Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a fully completed Application for Examination or Employment (CT-HR-12) located at www.das.state.ct.us/exam. Current State employees must also provide copies of their last two performance appraisals. Non-State employees must also provide 2 letters of reference.

All application materials must be received by 11:59 p.m. on the closing date indicated above.

Send application materials to:

Department of Developmental Services — North Region
155 Founders Plaza / 255 Pitkin Street
East Hartford, CT 06108
Attn: Kristina Worley, Human Resources
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